



The Board of Directors of the Defiance Softball Association will adhere to the guidelines developed by the Ohio Department of Health and the Governor of Ohio. Those guidelines are attached.

In addition, the Defiance Softball Association has put into place these additional guidelines, based on recommendations from USA Softball:

CONCESSIONS

- Markers will be placed on the ground to ensure 6 feet social distancing between customers.
- All concessionaire workers will be wearing face coverings and gloves and be sure to utilize correctly to ensure there is no cross contamination.
- Concessionaire workers are instructed that if they are exhibiting symptoms of, or possible exposure to COVID-19, that they should not come to events or work until such time as the participant has been tested and/or cleared.

COMPLEX CLEANING

- Bleachers at the complex will be sanitized at the end of every day.
- Dugouts will be sanitized between games.
- High traffic areas will be sanitized on a regular basis.
- Anyone visiting the complex is encouraged to bring their own sanitizing wipes.

TEAMS/DUGOUTS

- No team is permitted to enter a dugout until the previous team exits and staff has sanitized.
- Dugout space will be expanded to allow additional space for players while not on the field of play to allow for proper social distancing.
- Players will not be penalized for leaving the dugout area for social distancing precautions.
- Players who wish to wear a face covering during the game may do so but covering must be of one color and not distracting. Covering should be neutral in color and have no designs on them.
- No huddles. Players gathering at the circle should remain outside the circle.

Participants, parents, family, and spectators engaging in softball and activities related to softball do so with the knowledge of the risk and potential exposure involved and agree to accept any and all inherent risks to their personal health.

These guidelines, along with any directives from the Ohio Department of Health and the Governor of Ohio, are in full effect at all organization sponsored events and shall be adhered to. Complete information regarding these guidelines and more can be found on our website – DefianceSoftball.com.